

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of

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H.W. ADAMS, ET AL

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INTERACTIVE READING AND LANGUAGE INSTRUCTION

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION INCLUDING TRAVERSAL AND PROVISIONAL ELECTION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 23, 2000, in which the Examiner has required restriction for examination purposes, Applicants submit the following:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Applicants provisionally elect to prosecute Claims 1-9, 11-14, 16-19, 21-23, 31-36, 38- 39 and 44-51 and provisionally cancel Claims 25-30 and 40-43 without prejudice.

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